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## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

The reduction in telecom requirements already put much of my state at risk of complete communications loss in an emergency, like forest fire, earthquake, or flood, all of which we see in a single year. This bill will make it even worse, by eliminating the smaller better performing services and leaving everyone worse off.

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